(c) Upto March 31, 1994, a sum of Rs. 3,74,78,150/- has been spent on promotion and publicity of the presumptive tax scheme;

(d) The revenue collection figures under the presumptive tax scheme are not maintained state-wise; they are maintained by Chief Commissioner of income tax regionwise. The details maintained by the Chief Commissioner of Income-tax, region-wise regarding collection of presumptive tax during 1993-94 are given in the enclosed statement.

Statement

Details regarding region-wise collection of presumptive tax during 1993-94

(Rupees in lakhs)

	Provisional
Bombay	68
Calcutta	46
Delhi	148
Madras	68
Bangalore	301
Bhopal	23
Cochin	25
Chandigarh	631
Patna	92
Lucknow	37
Hyderabad	657
Ahmedabad	96
Jaipur	124
Kanpur	29
Pune	193
Total :	2538

Tax Holiday for Industrial Units in U.P.

5460. SHRI MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI :
SHRI TRILOKI NATH CHATURVEDI :

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) whetner it is fact that the Uttar Pradesh Government has approached the Central Government for tax holiday to industrial unit in the hill districts of the State, under Section 80(1) A of the Income Tax Act; if so, what are the details and what action has been taken to grant the facility; and

(b) if no action has been taken, what are the difficulties and by when this facility would be given ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M. V. CHANDRASHEKHAR MURTHY) : (a) Yes, Sir. The Government has received several representations in which requests have been made for granting tax holiday for units set up in the hill districts of Uttar Pradesh. The Finance Bill, 1994 contains a proposal for extending the tax holiday under section 80-IA to industrial units set up in very backward districts to be notified on the basis of a uniform set of criteria. The matter of laying down uniform set of criteria and of identifying backward districts on the basis of those criteria, is entrusted to a Group. Letters have been written to State Governments for furnishing data on various economic and social indicators district-wise. Notification of the backward districts will be issued soon after the Group receives data from all the States concerned.

(b) in view of the above, question does not arise.

Computerisation of Banks

5461. SHRI RAJUBHAI A. PARMAR : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :—

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have started the first fully computerised branch of the Syndicate Bank in New Delhi recently?

(b) what is the total number of bank branches which are fully computerised in the country, State-wise;

(c) whether it is a fact that Government are in favour of complete change over to fully computerise all the bank branches in the country in the near future or in the Eighth Five Year Plan; and

(d) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M. V. CHANDRASHEKHAR MURTHY) : (a) The following branches of Syndicate Bank in New Delhi are fully computerised :—

Nehru Place
South Block